said fans are used longer he is to receive rent at the same rate, being \$2.50 per month; further that the committee has agreed to pay for the wiring to the amount of \$5.00 and to pay \$17.50 for the one fan broken by the Senate; and,

Whereas, T. E. Mason has refused to accept this proposition and asks that he be allowed to remove said fans; there-

fore, be it

Resolved, That the Sergeant-at-Arms is instructed to remove fans from the Senate Chamber and deliver them to the said T. E. Mason at his earliest convenience and to tender to him the amount agreed on recommended by the committee.

The resolution was read second time,

and

Senator Davidson of DeWitt offered the following amendment:

"Amend by striking out 'or purchas-

ing.'"
The amendment was read, and adopted. The resolution as amended was read, and adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

By unanimous consent the following committee report was made to the Sen-

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, September 5, 1901. Hon. J. N. Browning, President of the Senate.

SIR: Your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred

Senate bill No. 1, being a bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriations for the support of the State government for two years beginning September 1, 1901, and ending August 31, 1903, and for other purposes,"

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report the same back to the Senate with the recom-

mendation that it do pass.

DIBRELL, Chairman.

ADJOURNMEN 1.

On motion of Senator Sebastian, the Senate, at 3:45 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m., Monday, September 9th.

SECOND DAY.

Senate Chamber, Austin, Tex., Monday, Sept. 9, 1901. The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Lieutenant-Governor Browning in the chair.

present, the following Senators answering to their names:

Beaty. Lipscomb. Davidson of Miller. DeWitt. Patterson. Davidson of Paulus. Galveston. Potter. Dibrell. Stafford. Grinnan. Swann. Hanger. Wayland.

Harris of Bexar. Johnson.

Absent.

Wilson.

Goss. Savage. Harris of Hunt. Sebastian. James. Staples. Lloyd. Turner. McGee. Turney. Neal. Wheeler. Odell. Yett.

Senator Davidson of DeWitt moved a call of the Senate for the purpose of securing a quorum, which call being seconded, the roll was called, the following Senators answering to their names:

Beaty. Lipscomb. Davidson of Miller. DeWitt. Patterson. Davidson of Paulus. Galveston. Potter. Dibrell. Stafford. Grinnan. Swann. Hanger. Wayland. Harris of Bexar. Wilson. Johnson.

Absent.

Goss. Savage. Harris of Hunt. Sebastian. James. Staples. Lloyd. Turner. McGee. Turney. Neal. Wheeler. Odell. Yett.

SERGEANT-AT-ARMS ORDERED TO TELEGRAPH FOR ABSENTEES.

On motion of Senator Davidson of De-Witt, the Sergeant-at-Arms was ordered to telegraph for absentees, requesting them to appear in the Senate Chamber at the earliest possible moment.

ADJOURNMENT.

It being apparent that no quorum would be in Austin today, the Senate, on motion of Senator Davidson of DeWitt, at 10:15 o'clock a. m., adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

APPENDIX.

The following Senators absent on the The roll was called, no quorum being opening day, Thursday, September 5, were announced present on the opening

J. T. Beaty, of Jasper county, representing District No. 14, composed of the following counties: Nacogdoches, San Augustine, Sabine, Newton, Jasper, Ty-

ler, Liberty, Hardin, Orange, Jefferson. Arch Grinnan, of Brown county, representing District No. 26, composed of the following counties: Erath, Comanche, Mills, San Saba, McCulloch, Concho, Runnels, Coleman, Brown.

Theodore Harris, of Bexar county, representing District No. 24, composed of the following counties: Bexar, Medina,

Bandera, Kendall, Kerr, Gillespie. Barry Miller, of Dallas county, representing District No. 6, composed of the following counties: Dallas, Rockwall.

D. A. Paulus, of Lavaca county, rep-

resenting District No. 18, composed of the following counties: Colorado, Lavaca, Fayette.

C. L. Potter, of Cooke county, representing District No. 4, composed of the following counties: Grayson, Cooke.

J. J. Swann, of Falls county, representing District No. 11, composed of the following counties: McLennan, Falls, Milam.

THIRD DAY.

Senate Chamber, Austin, Tex., Tuesday, Sept. 10, 1901. The Senate met pursuant to adjourn-

ment.

President Pro Tem. Odell in the chair. The roll was called, no quorum being present, the following Senators answering to their names:

Odell. Dibrell. Patterson. Goss. Grinnan. Paulus. Hanger. Potter. Harris of Bexar. Sebastian. Johnson. Wayland. Wheeler. Lipscomb. Miller. Wilson. Neal.

Absent.

Beaty. McGee. Davidson of Savage. DeWitt. Stafford. Davidson of Staples. Galveston. Swann. Turney. Harris of Hunt. James. Turner.

Lloyd.

Senator Potter moved a call of the Senate for the purpose of securing a quorum, which call being seconded, the roll was called, the following Senators answering to their names:

Yett.

Davidson of Odell. Galveston. Patterson. Dibrell. Paulus. Grinnan. Potter. Hanger. Savage. Harris of Bexar. Sebastian. Johnson. Wayland. Lipscomb. Wheeler. Miller. Wilson. Neal.

Absent.

Beaty. McGee. Davidson of Stafford. DeWitt. Staples. Goss. Swann. Harris of Hunt. Turner. James. Turney. Lloyd. Yett.

Senator Lloyd was announced. Senator Staples was announced. Senator Stafford was announced. Senator Goss was announced, and A quorum was announced present. Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. I. S.

Davenport.

Pending the reading of the Journal of last Thursday and yesterday (first and second day), the same, on motion of Senator Harris of Bexar, was dispensed

FIRST EXECUTIVE MESSAGE.

The following first executive message was here delivered to and laid before the Senate:

To the Senate:

The advice and consent of the Senate is asked to the appointment of J. D. Martin, of Jefferson county, Texas, to the office of district judge of the Fiftyeighth Judicial District.

> JOSEPH D. SAYERS, Governor.

EXECUTIVE SESSION—TIME SET FOR.

On motion of Senator Sebastian, 11 o'clock a. m. today was the time set for the Senate to go into executive session to act upon the nomination sent in by the Governor.

EXCUSED.

On motion of Senator Savage, Senator Neal was excused for non-attendance upon the Senate on yesterday on account of important business.

On motion of Senator Neal, Senator Lloyd was excused for non-attendance upon the Senate on yesterday on account of important business.

On motion of Senator Davidson of Galveston, Senator Savage was excused